

Announce U. S. Rubber Executive Changes

Paul Blunt, plant manager of the Joliet Arsenal's Kankakee unit, will be transferred to the U. S. Rubber Co.'s Baton Rouge, La., plant on Oct. 16, it was announced by Dr. F. D. Chittenden, production manager of the company's Naugatuck Chemical division.

Blunt will be succeeded by Oscar Zellweger, a 35-year veteran with the company, who will assume the duties of plant manager, also effective Oct. 16.

Zellweger came to the Kankakee unit in 1951 from the company's Borger, Tex., plant. He served as control manager until 1953 when he was appointed manager's administrative assistant.

Blunt joined the company at the Kankakee unit in 1951 as superintendent of the TNT department. He was named production superintendent in 1952 and assistant plant manager in 1953. In June, 1954, he succeeded J. Scott Brown as plant manager.

Both Blunt and Zellweger



PAUL BLUNT

reside with their families on the Joliet Arsenal reservation.

Plant officials recently announced that the Kankakee unit will halt production activities this week and placed on a standby basis. A major producer of military explosives, the sprawling TNT works has been operated continuously by Naugatuck Chemical since 1951, reaching peak production in the fall of 1953 when employment climbed to over 4,500.

Harold P. Hubert, a safety engineer at the Joliet Arsenal's Kankakee unit, will be transferred Oct. 1 to the U. S. Rubber Co.'s Providence R. I., footwear plant where he will serve as safety supervisor.

The new assignment was announced by J. J. Raytkwich, safety superintendent at the Kankakee unit.

Hubert joined the company in 1952 as a safety inspector and has served in his present position for four years. A graduate of St. Patrick's High school in Kankakee, Hubert spent three years with the Air Force as a gunner during World War II and was re-



OSCAR ZELLWEGER

called to service during the Korean fighting.

Hubert, his wife, Alice, and their two daughters, Janet, 14, and Kathleen, 6, live at 127 E. Belmont Ct., in Bourbonnais.

Two Kankakee unit employees also transferred to the company's footwear division in recent weeks are Paul E. Wheeler and Robert E. Herr, both formerly of Joliet, who accepted production posts at the Mishawaka, Ind., plant.

In September, five other Kankakee Unit employees were transferred to the chemical division's Baton Rouge, La.,



HAROLD P. HUBERT

plant. They included Clarence Newman, previously of New Lenox; James White, a former Plainfield resident, and Daniel Davis, Victor C. Wartman, and Melvin E. Eubanks, all formerly of Joliet.

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